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May 26, 2017

**BY ECF**

The Honorable Vernon S. Broderick  
United States District Judge  
Thurgood Marshall United States Courthouse, Room 415  
40 Foley Square  
New York, New York 10007

**Re:        *United States v. Ng Lap Seng,*  
             **S5 15 Cr. 706 (VSB)****

Dear Judge Broderick:

The Government respectfully submits this letter in the above-captioned matter to request that the trial be adjourned by one month, to June 26, 2017, and that time be excluded under the Speedy Trial Act between the current trial date and the new trial date to permit the Government to prepare and submit a motion under the Classified Information Procedures Act -- once authorized by the relevant authorities -- and for the Court to consider such a motion. If the Government's adjournment request is granted, the Government also respectfully requests that Government's response to the defendant's letter brief, which is presently due May 28, 2017 at 2 p.m., be adjourned to Monday, June 5.

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The Government has advised defense counsel of this request and defense counsel has asked the Government to inform the Court that the defendant seeks a telephonic conference with the Court as soon as possible.

Respectfully submitted,

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